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CHAPTER II

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REEL CONSISTING OF A METAL STRIP WITH LOOPS

Title of Invention

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1. Applicant herewith submits to the United States Elected Office (EO/US) the following items under 35 U.S.C. § 371:
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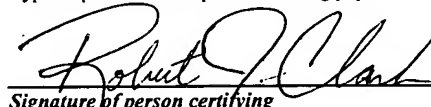
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- b. The U.S. Basic National Fee (35 U.S.C. § 371(a)) and other fees (37 C.F.R. § 1.492) as indicated below:

2. Fees

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CLAIMS FEE*	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	\$
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	Search fee \$500.00				\$400.00
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	-+Total of above Calculations				= \$900.00
	Applicant hereby claims small entity status. 37 C.F.R. 1.27. The above fees are reduced by <input type="checkbox"/>				\$0.00
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Total National Fee				\$900.00	
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment document \$40.00 (37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h)). See Item 13 below). See attached "ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET".				\$0.00	
TOTAL				Total Fees enclosed \$900.00	

Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$900.00 to Deposit Account No. 15-0450. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above.

3. A copy of the International application as filed (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) is transmitted herewith.
4. A translation of the International application into the English language (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) is transmitted herewith.

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5. Amendments to the claims of the International application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)) have not been transmitted. Applicant chose not to make amendments under PCT Article 19.

Date of mailing of Search Report (from form PCT/ISA/210): 11 February 2005.

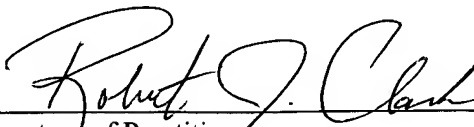
6. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (38 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)) has not been transmitted for reasons indicated at point 5(c) above.
7. A copy of the international examination report (PCT/IPEA/409) is not yet available.
8. Annex(es) to the international preliminary examination report are not yet available.
9. A translation of the annexes to the international preliminary examination report is not available for reasons indicated at 8. above.
10. An **UNSIGNED** oath or declaration of the inventor (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(4)) complying with 35 U.S.C. § 115 is submitted herewith, and such oath or declaration identifies the application and any amendments under PCT Article 19 that were transmitted as stated in points 3(b) or 3(c) and 5(b); and states that they were reviewed by the inventor as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.70.

II. Other document(s) or information included:

11. An International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210) or Declaration under PCT Article 17(2)(a) is transmitted herewith.
12. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 will be transmitted within THREE MONTHS of the date of submission of requirements under 35 U.S.C. § 371(c).
13. Additional documents:
- a. Copy of request (PCT/RO/101)
 - b. International Publication No. WO 2005/047114
 - i. Specification, claims and drawing
14. The above items are being transmitted before 30 months from any claimed priority date.

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